

WEST INDIES UNITED

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“Divided by Water, United by Culture”



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Subject: West Indies United's Annual Columbus Weekend Soccer Tournament

On behalf of West Indies United (WIU), I would like to extend an invitation to your soccer team to participate in the Annual Columbus Day Weekend Soccer Tournament (CWST). This soccer tournament has been a staple in the community since 1991, and we are celebrating its 25th year! WIU has been hosting teams from Hampton Roads, New Jersey, New York and the District of Columbia and this year we are going in with a BANG! The tournament will be held at Tarrallton Park, 2100 Tarrallton Drive, Norfolk VA 23518.

The tournament will consist of two divisions - an Open Division and an Over 40 Division/VET Division. Games will start on Saturday at 9:00 am and end at 6:00 pm the last games will be played on Sunday at 9:00 a.m. and end at 5:30 p.m. immediately, after will be the awards ceremony. The entry fee for this two day event is \$500.00 per team.

To confirm your participation, please send a **non-refundable** fee of \$500.00 as well as the application below of all participants'/team members and signed copy of rules and regs to:

**West Indies United
1216 S. Military Highway
Suite B
Chesapeake VA 23325**

and a roster of 20 players (18 players & allowed 2 guest) per team by September 23rd, 2016. Please pay by money order or Cashier's check. There will be NO payment accepted on the day of the Tournament. No fee, No play!!

The awards ceremony following the last game will be held at 6:00 p.m. on Sunday October 9th, 2015 at Tarrallton Park, Refreshments will be provided to all team members and their immediate family at no cost.

We are looking forward to your team joining us to help make this another successful Columbus Day Weekend Soccer Tournament. Our goal is to continue to host tournaments with the highest level of discipline, competition and professionalism. For additional information on the tournament, please contact:

Mr. Andrew Vincent "Cap" 347-563-3803

Mr. David Jones "Jah D" (757) 675-1226

Sincerely,

Andrew Vincent

WIU Tournament Chair

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West Indies United: Soccer Division

SOCCER REGISTRATION FORM

Applicant Information

TEAM NAME:

DIVISION PLAYED:

PLEASE SPECIFY:

Please check one:

____ CASHIERS CHECK

____ MONEY ORDER

TEAM MANAGER:

TEAM NAME:

ROSTER

PLEASE PROVIDE NAME, POSITION & JERSEY NUMBER OF EACH MEMBER OF TEAM.

NAME	POSITION	JERSEY #

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REGULATIONS & PROCEDURES

1. TEAM ARRIVAL TIMES WILL BE FURTHER PROMULGATED WITHIN TWO WEEKS OF THE TOURNAMENT.
2. EVERY TEAM MUST BE DRESSED AND READY TO GO ½ HOUR PRIOR TO GAME TIME. **NOTE: GAMES WILL BE FORFEITED 10 MINUTES AFTER START TIME.**
3. UPON ARRIVAL, THE TEAM MANAGER SHALL CHECK-IN WITH THE "MANAGEMENT" TENT TO OBTAIN TOURNAMENT MATERIAL AND FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS.
4. ALL COMMUNICATION REGARDING OPERATIONS OF THE TOURNAMENT IS TO BE CONDUCTED BY THE TEAM MANAGER AND/OR TEAM CAPTAIN ONLY.
5. ALL CONCERNS FROM TEAM MEMBERS ARE TO BE DIRECTED TO THEIR TEAM MANAGER, WHO WILL IN TURN CONSULT WITH THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR OR STAFF FOR RESOLUTION.
6. TO ENSURE AN EVENTFUL WEEKEND, SECURITY WILL BE PRESENT.
7. THERE WILL BE A "SICK BAY" TENT FOR TEAM MEMBERS MEDICAL NEEDS.
8. EVERY TEAM MUST HAVE THEIR OWN INSURANCE AND PROOF OF INSURANCE. **PLEASE FORWARD WITH THIS PACKAGE.**
9. TOURNAMENT FEE IS TO BE PAID BY MONEY ORDER OR CASHIER'S CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF **\$500.00 NON-REFUNDABLE**. DEADLINE FOR FEE SUBMISSION IS SEPTEMBER 30, 2015.
10. WATER AND GATORADE WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR ALL PLAYERS.
11. TRASH CONTAINERS WILL BE LOCATED IN VARIOUS AREAS AROUND THE FIELD, PLEASE HELP US TO KEEP THE PARK CLEAN TO ENSURE FURTHER USE.
12. PLEASE LIST FULL NAME OF ALL TEAM MANAGERS AND TEAM MEMBERS NAME, POSITION OF PLAY & JERSEY NUMBER.
13. PER THE CITY OF NORFOLK ORDINANCE, NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ARE ALLOWED ON OR AROUND THE PREMISES OF TARRALTON COMMUNITY CENTER.
14. LOUD MUSIC IS DISCOURAGED AT THE FIELD & PARKING LOT AS THIS IS A RESEDENTIAL AREA.

I HAVE READ, UNDERSTAND AND AGREE TO ALL OF THE ABOVE. TEAM MANAGER

NAME:_____

SIGNATURE:_____

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HOTEL SUGGESTIONS

HOTELS ARE 5 – 10 MINS AWAY FROM VENUE

Econo Lodge Little Creek




7969 Shore Dr., Norfolk, VA, 23518, US

1.21 mi / 1.95 km

Featured Amenities: Continental Breakfast

Basic suburban hotel offering free WiFi & continental breakfast, as well as cable TV.

Free Wi-Fi Free breakfast

 \$51 Best Rate for time frame Oct 9th – Oct 11th
Per Night

Americas Best Value Inn – Norfolk



3.7 mi

2-star hotel · E Little Creek Rd

Featured Amenities: Casual budget hotel with free WiFi & breakfast, plus a pool, a beauty salon & a barbecue area.

Free Wi-Fi Free breakfast

Americas Best Value Inn - Norfolk



3.714 reviews

2-star hotel · E Little Creek Rd

Casual budget hotel with free WiFi & breakfast, plus a pool, a beauty salon & a barbecue area. Free Wi-Fi ; Free breakfast

Red Roof Inn

10 mins away from Venue

5745 Northampton Blvd, Virginia Beach, VA 23455

FREE WIFI - rooms starting @ \$64.99

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CARIBBEAN RESTAURANTS

RESTAURANTS ARE 15 – 20 MINS AWAY FROM HOTELS & VENUE

CARIB SHACK



2272 West Great Neck Road #2242

Virginia Beach, VA 23451

(757) 692-6851

17 mins/9.79 miles

HIGHER HEIGHTS



7653 Granby St, Norfolk, VA 23505

(757) 489-7229

15 mins via Little Creek

MP ISLAND CAFE



5957 E Virginia Beach Blvd, Norfolk, VA 23502

(757) 466-0220

14 mins/6.40 miles

De Grill Restaurant



152D S. Plaza Trail

Virginia Beach, VA 23452

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